

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
STATESVILLE DIVISION
CIVIL ACTION NO. 5:17-CV-00202-MOC-DSC**

ROBERT PAYNE,)
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Plaintiff,)
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v.)
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MERCK & CO., INC., et. al.,)
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Defendants.)

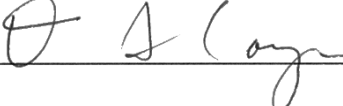

THIS MATTER is before the Court following Plaintiff's counsel Samy S. Elsherbini's failure to satisfy the Requirements for Admission to the Bar of this Court. See Court's "SECOND Notice to Sam Elsherbini: Pursuant to Local Rule 83.1 you are required to Satisfy the Requirements for Admission to the Bar of this Court. Deadline by 11/21/2017... (Entered: 11/14/2017)."

For this reason, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

1. Samy S. Elsherbini is **STRICKEN** as counsel of record in this case.
2. The Clerk is directed to remove Samy S. Elsherbini from the docket and the CM/ECF system.
3. The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order to Samy S. Elsherbini, to defense counsel; and to the Honorable Max O. Cogburn, Jr..

SO ORDERED.

Signed: December 1, 2017

	
David S. Cayer United States Magistrate Judge	